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MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

ATTENTION: Mr. Reber

SUBJECT: Request for Approval of TALENT Billet (C)

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- 1. Reference is made to conversation between Mr. Reber, CIA, and Lt Colonel Forsythe, this office, pertaining to a TALENT clearance for the Director of Research and Development, Office of the Secretary of the Army.
- 2. Justification is based on the incumbent's full responsibility for monitoring Army research and development activities. He must make decisions regarding the allocation of funds to the various research and development projects as well as approving contemplated projects. In order that the incumbent may fully appreciate the extent of Soviet missile activity, participate in planning meetings with high-level defense officials, and keep the Secretary of the Army fully informed, it is requested that the above-cited billet be approved for access to TALENT materials.
- 3. The present incumbent, Dr. William H. Martin, is cleared for access to Special Intelligence.

E. F. FORSYTHE

Lt Colonel, GS

Act'g. Chief, Intelligence

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